

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Jack W. Adoline, et al.
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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

In view of the non-final Office Action mailed March 18, 2008, please amend the above referenced patent application as follows: